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INTERIM REPORT

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1.THE AGMIN COUNCIL DECIDED LATE IN THE NIGHT OF APRIL 25
TO APPROVE THE 1977/78 COMPROMISE PRICE PACKAGE (DESCRIBED
REF.A),WITH THE FOLLOWING MODIFICATIONS:
A.THECONSUMER SUBSIDY ON BUTTER WAS FIXED AT 33
U.A.PER 100 KG.FOR THE ENTIRE MARKETING YEAR.THE
COMMISSION HAS PROPOSED 30 U.A.DURING APRIL 1 - DECEMBER 31,
1977 AND 25 U.A.DURING JANUARY 1 - MARCH 31, 1978
B.THE CEILING ON THE BUTTER SUBSIDY WAS FIXED AT 56 UA
PER 100 KG.,UP FROM THE 50 UA.PROPOSED BY THE COMMISSION.
THE SUBSIDY IN SUBPARAGRAPH (A)ABOVE WILL BE FINANCED 100
PERCENT BY FEOGA.ADDITIONAL SUBSIDIES UP TO THE MAXIMUM 56 UA.
WILL BE FINANCED 25 PERCENT BY FEOGA
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C.THE COUNCIL APPROVED SUBSIDIES ON FRESHLY MANUFACTURED (I.E.,
NOT IN INTERVENTION)NFDN AND ON LIQUID SKIM MILK FOR PIG FEED.THESE
PRODUCTS HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY BEEN SUBSIDIZED (REF.B).
THE AMOUNTS OF THE UBSIDIES WILL BE SPECIFIED IN OUR FINAL REPORT
ON THIS COUNCIL SESSION.

2.ANAVERAGE INCREASE IN FARM SUPPORT PRICES OF 3.5 PERCENT

WAS APPROVED.THESE PRICES WILL BE OFFSET BY ADJUSTMENTS IN
THE MCA'S.WE WILL TRANSMIT THE INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT PRICES
AND MCA'S INOUR FINAL REPORTING CABLE.

3.THE COUNCIL IS CONTINUING ITS DELIBERATIONS TODAY ON HOPS,
WINE,ACP SUGAR AND FISH.
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